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CYTOLOGIX CORPORATION

Plaintiff,

V.

VENTANA MEDICAL SYSTEMS, INC.

Defendant.

CIVIL ACTION NO.

01-10178 REK

COMPLAINT AND JURY DEMAND

Now comes plaintiff CytoLogix Corporation and for its Complaint alleges as follows:

The Parties

- Plaintiff CytoLogix Corporation ("CytoLogix") is a corporation organized and existing under the laws of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts with a principal place of business in Cambridge, Massachusetts.
- Defendant Ventana Medical Systems, Inc. ("Ventana") is a corporation organized and existing under the laws of the State of Delaware with a principal place of business in Tucson, Arizona. Pursuant to the provisions of Mass. Gen. Laws. c. 223A §3, Ventana is subject to personal jurisdiction in this District.





Jurisdiction and Venue

- 3. Jurisdiction of this Court is founded upon 28 U.S.C. § 1338(a), as this action arises under the patent laws of the United States; upon 28 U.S.C. § 1331, as this action arises under the laws of the United States; and upon 28 U.S.C. §1332 in that the parties are citizens of different states and the matter in controversy, exclusive of interest and costs, exceeds the sum or value of \$75,000.
- 4. Plaintiff is informed and believes, and therefore avers, that there is venue pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 1391, as defendant "resides" in this judicial district within the meaning of 28 U.S.C. §1391(c).

Count I - Infringement of '061 Patent

- 5. CytoLogix incorporates and repeats the allegations of paragraphs 1 through 4, inclusive, as if set forth in full herein.
- 6. United States Letters Patent No. 6,180,061, entitled "Moving Platform Slide Stainer With Heating Elements" ("'061 patent"), was duly and legally issued by the United States Patent and Trademark Office on January 30, 2001, on an application filed by Steven A. Bogen and Herbert H. Loeffler and assigned to plaintiff CytoLogix.

- 7. The '061 patent is for a device that automates certain staining procedures performed by pathology laboratories in hospitals and elsewhere.
- 8. CytoLogix markets automated staining devices, which practice the invention of the '061 patent.
- 9. CytoLogix is informed and believes, and therefore avers, that Ventana has manufactured, used, sold, and/or offered for sale in the United States, and continues to manufacture, use, sell, and/or offer for sale in the United States, automated staining devices that infringe the '061 patent, including, but not limited to, the Benchmark and the Discovery Instruments. The infringing devices incorporate CytoLogix' patented slide heating technology.
- 10. CytoLogix is informed and believes, and therefore avers, that Ventana will continue infringing the '061 patent unless enjoined therefrom by this Court.
- 11. CytoLogix is informed and believes, and therefore avers, that Ventana "developed" its automated staining devices, including, but not limited to, the Benchmark and the Discovery Instruments, by copying technology disclosed in one or more confidential Business Plans which it misappropriated from Cytologix.
- 12. CytoLogix is informed and believes, and therefore avers, that Ventana knew, or had reason to know, that CytoLogix

intended to seek patent protection for the technology disclosed in said confidential Business Plan or Plans and copied by Ventana.

- 13. Cytologix is informed and believes, and therefore avers, that Ventana's infringement is, and will continue to be, willful, wanton and deliberate.
- 14. As a result of the foregoing action of Ventana, CytoLogix has and will suffer actual damage and loss in its trade and business, said damage and loss are ongoing and continuing, and CytoLogix is suffering, and will continue to suffer, permanent and irreparable injury and has no plain and adequate remedy at law.
- 15. Wherefore, CytoLogix is entitled to recover its damages, including enhanced damages, pursuant to 35 U.S.C. S 284, and its attorney's fees, pursuant to 35 U.S.C. S 285, and to an injunction restraining Ventana from any further infringement of the '061 patent.

WHEREFORE, plaintiff prays that this Court:

enter a permanent injunction restraining defendant and its agents, servants, employees, attorneys, successors, assigns and consignees, and all those acting under their authority or in privity with them from making, using, selling or

- offering for sale any product that infringes United States Letters Patent No. 6,180,061;
- award plaintiff its damages, plus interest and costs;
- 3. award plaintiff treble damages, pursuant to 35 U.S.C. § 284;
- 4. award plaintiff attorney's fees, pursuant to 35 U.S.C. § 285; and
- 5. grant plaintiff such other and further relief as this Court deems just and proper.

JURY DEMAND

PLAINTIFF CLAIMS TRIAL BY JURY

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Case 1:01-cv-10178-RWZ Document 1 Filed 01/30/2001 Page 6 of 7 CIVIL COVER SHEET

The JS-44 civil cover sheet and the information contained herein neither replace nor supplement the filing and service of pleadings or other papers as required by law, except as provided by local rules of court. This form, approved by the Judicial Conference of the United States in September 1974, is required for the use of the Clerk of Court for the purpose of initiating the civil docket sheet. (SEE INSTRUCTIONS ON THE REVERSE OF THE FORM.)

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